

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company..... Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Upshur }

I, Harvey Lee Byrd., born in Rhonesboro,
in the State of Texas, aged 24 years and 7 months, and by occupation a
Oil Field Worker do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 19th day of
June, 1933, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two
years, unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do also agree to accept from the State of~~
~~Texas such bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ And I do
solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on
me as an officer of the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Con-
stitution and laws of the United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the
adoption of the Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with dead-
ly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person
thus offending. And I furthermore answer that I have not, directly or indirectly, paid, offered or prom-
ised to pay, contributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any pub-
lic office or employment, to secure my appointment. So help me God.

Harvey Lee Byrd

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 19th. day of June A. D. 1933.

H. H. Harts

Fill in description below.

Notary Public in and for Upshur County, Texas

I certify that....., the above named man, has been carefully examined by me
previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to
and will faithfully perform the duties incumbbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 24
years 7 months of age. Height 5 feet 10 inches. Complexion Medium Eyes Blue
Hair Black Born at Rhonesboro County of Upshur State of Texas
Weight..... Residence Rhonesboro, Texas
Occupation Oil Field Worker Married or single Single Previous service.....

Remarks:

Recd. by J. M. Seagr
Shere Upshur Ed

Captain Co.

Ranger Force

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS RANGER FORCE

Name Harvey Lee Byrd ✓

Rank Special Ranger

Company _____, Ranger Force

Station Rhodesboro, Texas

8/4/34

Now armed Big Spring

Adm. Sater factory

Enlisted June 19, 1933

Extended to June 18, 1935 6/18/34

Discharged January 22, 1935

Subpoena from Phil Baker U.S.M.
9/28

THE STATE OF TEXAS



ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer Harvey Lee Byrd

is a Special Ranger

in Company

is his Warrent of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 31st, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to Act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. The Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name	<u>Harvey Lee Byrd</u>	Rank	<u>Special Ranger</u>
Age	<u>24 years 7 months</u>	Where born	<u>Rhonesbore, Texas</u>
Height	<u>5 feet 10 inches</u>	Occupation	<u>Oil Field Worker</u>
Weight	<u>172 lbs</u>	Residence	<u>Rhonesbore, Texas</u>
Hair	<u>Black</u>	Enlisted Where	<u>Austin, Texas</u>
Eyes	<u>Blue</u>	Enlisted When	<u>June 19, 1933</u>
Complection	<u>Medium</u>	Enlisted by Whom	<u>Henry Hutchings</u> <u>The Adjutant General</u>

This warrant of authority is void after June 18, 1934

and must be returned to this Department for Cancellation.

Extended to June 18-1935. Rwa 6/18/34

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 19th

day of June 1933

Henry Hutchings
The Adjutant General.

Attest:

R. W. Anderson

Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co.

*Byrd 843
rec'd, file*